ndopt certain regulations; requiring the Insurance Administration, in conjunction with the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, to study a certain issue and report its findings in a certain manner; requiring a carrier with which an employer, association, or other private group arrangement is contracting to offer under certain circumstances a dental point-of-service option as an additional benefit that an employee or individual may accept or reject; requiring the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene, jointly with certain other persons, to conduct a certain study related to Maryland Medical Assistance Program recipients and submit a certain report by a certain date; requiring the Governor's Task Force on Community Health Networks to study certain issues and report its findings in a certain manner; providing for the applicability of this Act; requiring the Health Care Access and Cost Commission to implement as an additional benefit certain provisions of this Act for certain employers; providing for the application of this Act; providing for the effective date of certain provisions of this Act; defining certain terms; making provisions of this Act severable; and generally relating to access to health care in this State.

# BY adding to

Article 48A - Insurance Code

Section 361 I and 490BB, 490CC, and 490DD

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1994 Replacement Volume and 1994 Supplement)

### BY repealing and-reenacting, without-amendments,

Article 48A Insurance Code

Section 657(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1994-Replacement-Volume and 1994-Supplement)

#### BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 48A Insurance Code

Section-657(b)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1994-Replacement Volume and 1994-Supplement)

#### BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article Health Occupations

Section 14 411(a) through (e), inclusive, 14 413 and 14 414

**Annotated Code of Maryland** 

(1994-Replacement-Volume)

# BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Health - General

Section 19-706(i)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1990 Replacement Volume and 1994 Supplement)